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Southeast Region

Reply to

Attn of: CN 11

Subject: Advisory on Cheese Product Creditability

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To: All Child Nutrition Directors
Southeast Region

It has come to our attention that the name on several KRAFT cheese spreads and cheese foods has changed to Pasteurized Prepared Cheese Product.

“Pasteurized Prepared Cheese Product” is not creditable for any food-based menu planning approach, nor are “Cheese Products” or any cheese items containing the word “product”. Cheese spread and cheese foods are creditable as shown in the Food Buying Guide for Child Nutrition Programs.

If there are any questions regarding these products, please contact this office.

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